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**The Secretary of Energy**  
Washington, DC 20585

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July 6, 1990

The Honorable John T. Conway  
Chairman  
Defense Nuclear Facilities Safety Board  
Suite 675  
600 E Street, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20004

Dear Chairman Conway:

I am writing to inform you that the Department intends to provide supplemental information in response to Recommendation 90-2 regarding standards for DOE nuclear facilities. This information is being prepared by the appropriate program offices and will be forwarded to the Board on or before Friday, July 27, 1990.

Sincerely,

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